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HYDRATED ALKALI METAL  
BORATE AND HEXAGONAL BORON  
NITRIDE

GROUP ART UNIT: 1714

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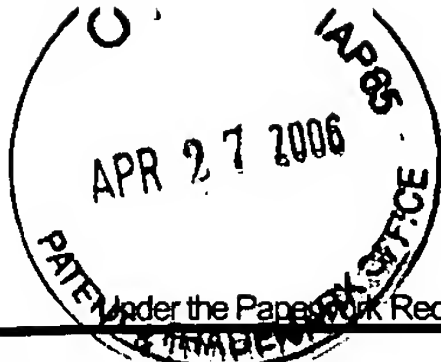
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